

# CROSSFIELD CHRONICLE

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## Week-end SPECIALS....

### Soda Biscuits - - - 21c

A full weight two pound box that regularly sells at 30c in the well known Christie brand. 100 only. 21c

### Tomato Catsup - - 2 for 38c

CROSS & BLACKWELLS—This lines needs no introduction—it's the best made. Regular 25c value—per bottle. 20c. 2 bottles. 38c

### 2 Lbs. Macaroni - - - 16c

Specially packed, specially priced. 2 pounds 16c

### Empress Strawberry Jam - 55c

The good kind that always tastes like more 4 lb. 55c

### Tomatoes, per tin - - - 11c

These are advancing in price. Limit 5 to a customer

### Salmon - - - 2 for 25c

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### Asmussen and Spivey Elected

Last Monday Chris Asmussen was re-elected to the Village Council to fill the three year term. Walter Spivey was the other successful candidate and will serve for one year.

The standing was as follows:

C. Asmussen	85
W. Spivey	65
M. Patmore	57

After having given seven years of faithful service on the Council, it would appear that it was only proper that Chris should head the poll. Walter Spivey brings to the Council experience gained from three years service on the Jenner Village Council.

### Hi Dance Most Enjoyable

The High School Dance last Friday proved a most enjoyable affair.

To the melodious strains of the Borbridge Boys many patrons triped the light fantastic.

At midnight a very tasty lunch was served, followed by a short program. Assisting artists were Genevieve and Bert Metheral whose cowboy songs went over big. Edna Ableman favored the gathering with two vocal numbers and her sweet voice gained for her many admirers. Kathleen Fitzpatrick acted as accompanist.

### BROWNLEE SCORES PLAN OF ABERHART

Lethbridge, Feb. 2—Speaking at Norton Friday night at a U. F. A. rally, Ex-Premier J. E. Brownlee was vigorously critical of William Aberhart of the Social Credit Group and his plan for monetary reform in Alberta.

Mr. Brownlee said it had two major fallacies—First, Social Credit money not being legal tender, could not be normally circulated, and second, the system is too cumbersome.

It would slow down trade and disrupt business structure. Any government that would put it into effect would not survive six weeks, he declared.

**Native Sons and Daughters**  
Dance, February 22nd.

The fourth annual dance of the Crossfield and District Native Sons and Daughters Association will be held in the U.F.A. Hall on Friday, February 22nd. Membership and admission 50c. Lunch served in the hall.

A dance will be held in Crossfield East Community Hall on Friday, Feb. 15th by the East Community J.U.F.A. Good music. Remember the date—the night after the Old-Timers Round-Up.

### Old Timer Hi-Lites

President Frank Collicutt preparing his speech.....George McFadyen presenting polka steps.....Mrs. McFadyen making the latest fashion creation.....Jas Dick presenting Mark Anthony's speech to Cease Her.....George Lim coming the country for dishes.....Mrs. Murdoch teaching her husband quadrille etiquette.....Hughie McIntyre having a facial, manicure and permanent.....Frank Hopper, nearing his number: "Those were the good old days".....Ivor Lewis and Doc McClelland washing their white gloves and spats.....John DeKuyper getting all fizzed up.....Johnnie Dewar and Johnnie Walker, rehearsing "Sweet Adeline."

### Coming Auction Sale

Morgenroth Bros. will sell their complete line of stock, implements, etc. at their farm 5 miles straight west of Beiseker, on Thursday, February 21. Arch Boyce, Auctioneer.

### ALONG BROADWAY

Hughie McIntyre will shortly visit his old home at Avromore, Ont.....If O. E. Jones was here during the mild spell he would be seeing.....Social Credit is the main topic around here nowadays.....Happy McMillan has had to give up Crazy Water Crystals—his feet got too cold.....Joe Demera can't see Social Credit at all.....Dan McFadyen is recovering from his recent accident and should be ready for the old timers hop.....Dad Haliday is slowly recovering and is back on part of the time.....Ole Calhoun is back in town after his long stay in the north.....Grant Thompson bought a child's chair (with a hole in the centre) at Bartholomew's sale—what the big idea? Clint? Jimmie has fallen off the water wagon again—who wants to be a camel.

C. Asmussen, Ed. Meyers, D. McFadyen, Culver Calhoun and George Murdoch are busy decorating the hall for the annual round-up.....Ed. Clark is leaving shortly to work in Calgary.

### Hauptmann Guilty

Flemington, N.J., Feb. 13—Bruno Hauptmann today was convicted of the murder of the Lindbergh baby during its kidnapping three years ago with death in the electric chair the penalty.

The jury of eight men and four women deliberated 11 hours and 6 minutes before it returned its verdict of death.

### Dance at Madden, Feb. 22nd.

#### Premier Reid To Attend

A grand dance will be held in the Madden Hall on Friday, Feb. 22nd. Old-time, Scottish and modern dances also a short program will be given.

Premier Reid has consented to be present and will deliver an address.

### Behind The Scenes (By GABBLER)

On March 4th the trail will lead to the U. F. A. Hall, have you made your reservations. Jim Belshaw is taking advance orders, he will be glad to arrange seats for you.

The wardrobe mistress, Florence Cruickshanks is all a-go over this production, and she is arranging for the best of costumes, and says "Gabbler tell the folks that miss Sweatwater Trail they miss the high light of entertainment."

Support a worthy cause, the United Church bespeaks your support.

Well Ed. that's thirty so long. Gabbler.

### Enjoyable Social

The members and friends of the C.D.S. had a jolly evening last Monday at a social and dance in the Masonic Hall.

Dancing was indulged in to the merry music of Ken Borbridge and his Gloomshakers, and all who attended vot'd it a jolly time.

The hit of the evening was the musical number of the Robertson sisters, introducing many local celebrities.

Messrs. Dickson, Williams and McLean also featured on the programme.

After a dainty lunch the crowd wended their way home, voting the evening a huge success.

### Mild Weather Halts Hockey

#### Club With Record In Sight

The mild weather of the past three weeks has kept the local hockey team idle, and it is unfortunate as the team have been playing better hockey than in many years, having won eight games and lost but one game. However, should it turn cold Manager Raisbeck promises plenty of hockey.

### Social Credit Meeting Saturday

A Social Credit meeting will be held in the U.F.A. Hall on Saturday, February 16th at 8:00 o'clock.

### Returning for Round Up

R. M. McCool, M.L.A., chairman of the entertainment committee of Crossfield Old Timers Association will arrive from Edmonton today to look after the programme. It is expected that his brother, J. A. McCool, secretary of the Edmonton Old Timers Association, will accompany him.

### THANKS

I desire to thank the Electors of Crossfield for their support at the polls last Monday, and can assure them I will to the best of my ability warrant the confidence placed in me.

Walter Spivey.

### Annual Meeting Board of Trade

The annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Tuesday evening next the 19th inst. at the Oliver Cafe, commencing at 7:00 o'clock sharp with a luncheon.

### LIBERAL MEETING

A Liberal meeting will be held in the U. F. A. Hall on Saturday, February 23rd at 8 o'clock. Several outstanding speakers will be present to address the meeting.

### Valentine Tea, February 16

The Women's Guild of the Anglican Church will hold a Valentine Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in A. W. Gordon's office on Saturday, February 16th, from 3:00 to 6:00.

## Week-End Specials

Pure Apricot Jam, per tin	45c
Roger's Syrup, 5 lb tin	43c
Cream of Wheat, per pkt	25c
Pineapple, sliced tin	12c
Tomatoes, tin	12c
Peaches, 2 lbs for	37c
Cowan's Cocoa, per lb	25c
Royal Crown Soap, 10 bars for	37c
Graham's Wafers 1 lb pkt	19c

### Crossfield District Co-Operative Association U. F. A. Limited.

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## WATCH THIS SPACE

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Green tea drinkers will find a sheer delight in the exquisite flavour of Salada Japan tea. Try a package.

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JAPAN TEA

## The Major Problem

Surfeited and perplexed by the multitude of theories advanced as to the underlying and basic cause of this world economic depression, and equally surfeited and perplexed by the multitude of suggestions, ideas and plans advanced as the only means whereby the depression can be ended and a permanent cure effected, tens of thousands of people are becoming callous and skeptical of all economic doctors. More and more people are asking themselves whether this very large problem, vital to the welfare of every individual and to the very existence of the nation and the civilization of the world, is being approached from the right angle.

To an ever increasing extent people are asking whether the provision of old age pensions to prevent poverty and suffering in old age is the solution, or whether that solution is to be found in the creation of conditions whereby men and women can through their own efforts and by shift and saving make necessary provision themselves for their declining years. People are inquiring whether the provision of this and that Government maintained social service to provide for their needs, and all provided for out of taxation,—is not merely attempting to cover up "sores" and "doctor" the patient, instead of making the patient well and capable of caring for himself.

People are thinking and asking whether it is not true that, just so long as taxes are piled upon taxes to provide for these social services, the very burden of those taxes is operating to make it impossible for them to take necessary care of themselves and families and make wise provision for their future.

Manhood must work, and produce, and save against the time when their working days are over. In a word, the business of the world must be carried on, and the more business that is transacted the more it is produced and exchanged for other products, the better it is for all concerned. Consequently, the fewer restrictions imposed on the carrying on of the world's business, the better. This great truth is sinking deeper into the minds of men.

Therefore, without further comment, we quote an editorial article appearing in one of Canada's most widely circulated magazines, a publication having no political party affiliations, but which discusses Canadian and world problems in a fair and impartial manner. Under the title appearing above, it says:

"There are the days in which we are regaled or surfeited with economic theories—some ancient and some modern, some unfried and some exploded, some original and some borrowed, some thriving and some still-born, some springing like still-born, full-armed from the head of Jupiter, others old and better, no longer fitted for service in a changed world, some that promise better, some condoning and many that are plain wrong. And others that if followed would surely lead to anarchy and moral ruin. It may be profitable to consider some of these theories at another time. To-day it is fitting reflection that we should concern ourselves with a concrete problem—one that is growing and must be met and settled, and which may be solved if any of the economic theories most advanced can be rendered workable."

The basic industry in Canada is agriculture. The basic product in agriculture is wheat. The basic need in the wheat industry is marketing. The basic concern of marketing is exchange values. The basic condition of exchange is open markets. This is the present time. For years we have deliberately closed the door. We have thereby isolated ourselves from countries which might have exchanged goods with us to grow their own grain. Now we are shut out—some people say forever. True, of late there has been an attempt to end the market, but there has been no apparent success. An accident has stopped the food stock market, and the grain market is better, some conditions and many others are still bad. And others that if followed would surely lead to anarchy and moral ruin. To-day it is fitting reflection that we should concern ourselves with a concrete problem—one that is growing and must be met and settled, and which may be solved if any of the economic theories most advanced can be rendered workable."

"It is beyond our wisdom to say which is better—to hang on to the surplus of home-bred, or to let a lot on the market at greatly reduced prices in hope of clearing the way for a market supply. This is the problem for Mr. McFarland, the government, and the rest of us. To settle it in its discursive general economic theories. They need to be discussed without bias, but at this point they are secondary. The first problem for Canada is the restoration of world markets. This means the re-writing of the tariff schedule. Is our government prepared to re-write it? Is Mr. Stevens prepared? Is the opposition?"

## New Type Of Diesel Engine

Young Canadian Designer Patents Automotive Engine With Great Possibilities

Claim that a revolutionary in automotive engineering had been perfected at Saint John, N.B., was made following the granting of Canadian and United States patents for a new type Diesel engine claimed to be stronger, simpler, more efficient and at least 10 times cheaper to produce

than any other engine of the Diesel type.

Karl Angel, young designer, began the construction of his invention in September, 1932. The completed project was tested the following January and found to be successful.

## Has Remarkable Memory

Bulgarian Gave Unusual Demonstration And Was Awarded Diploma

Marin Karadintroff, a thirty-eight-year-old Bulgarian, is preparing to go to England to demonstrate his feats of memory. A special committee saw Marin give a broadcast. He heard a list of 100 words, which had been written secretly, read by the announcer—and repeated them from beginning to end without one mistake. Then he repeated the list backwards, and afterwards said every other word. Marin recently repeated a list of 3,000 words before Professor Kastanoff, of the University of Solla, and was awarded a diploma.

## Tree Blooms Under Glass

A ninety-foot tree in bloom under glass is one of the sights at the New York Botanical Garden this season. It is a sugar palm, and this is the first time it has been brought to bloom in the United States. This specimen was grown from seed received from the Philippines in 1904. The flowering will take several months, perhaps a year, after which the tree dies.

Mr. Edward James' baby had two teeth when less than three months old. She writes: "He has 10 teeth now. I am not sure if this is giving him Baby's Own Talc while cutting his teeth kept him from biting his fingers and a restless feverish time for babies but the little one can always be soothed by a cold cloth or by giving sweet, soft Baby's Own Talc. Very easy to take, no after effects. Trial size everywhere."

Dr. William's BABY'S OWN TABLETS

There are now over 100 agricultural colleges in the Soviet Union.

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## The Baby Airplane

Machine Produced In England Weighs Only 100 Pounds

We have had baby grand pianos, and baby automobiles, and have had jokes poked at the baby Austen, but now comes the baby airplane. A baby aero engine has been produced in England, capable of developing a hundred horsepower and weighing only 100 pounds. The engine is fitted in an "up-side-down" position, allowing the pilot a clear field of vision. Self-starters are fitted with it, so that the pilot climbing in, merely touches a button and away goes the baby machine like the starting of a motor car. Many of us may yet live to see these babies of the air thick as mid-gets in the summer time.

## Perfect Engineering

Crew Drilling Tunnel From Opposite Sides Meet In Centre

A direct bull's-eye was scored by two tunnel excavation crews on the Colorado River aqueduct recently when they met in the centre of a mountain after having drilled from opposite sides for 17 months. The bore was 3.8 miles long, 17 feet in diameter and represents the first major section of tunnel to be completed on the project by which southern California municipalities seek to augment their water supply. Several other tunnels have been completed. —Christian Science Monitor.

## HIS LUMBAGO HAS NOT COME BACK

### Keeps Free Of It With Kruschen

There can be no doubt about the effectiveness of the remedy this man uses against lumbago. Read his letter:

"About four years ago, I had a bad attack of lumbago. After being in hospital for two weeks taking heat treatment, I started taking Kruschen Salts. Since then, I am happy to say, I have not been troubled with lumbago, and am continuing to take Kruschen to be sure the lumbago won't come back." —A. C. C.

Why is Kruschen so good?

It is in keeping lumbago at bay.

Simply because it goes right down to the root of the trouble, and removes the cause, which is an impure bloodstream. The six salts in Kruschen keep the circulation more vigorous by promoting a clockwise regularity of all the organs of elimination.

## Twenty Years Late

French Court Clears Family Convicted As Spies During War

The tardy vindication of the memory of a French family, two of whom died in jail for allegedly spying and aiding the enemy in World War I, was granted January 19 in a military court.

A total of 28,000 francs in damages (\$1,850) was awarded to surviving members of the family of Louis Moreau, who had been fighting for twenty years to clear their name.

Moreau and two of his sons were sentenced at the time to penal servitude in French Guiana, while his wife got a prison sentence for allegedly signalling to Germans with a bicycle lamp. Moreau and his wife died in jail. The two sons later were pardoned by a post-war premier as victims of "war hysteria."

The court decided that the light flashes seen at Moreau's house had not been proved to be signals, since the Moreau did not know how to send code messages.

## Plenty Of Nickel

Developed are reserves in Canada contain sufficient nickel to meet the world's requirements for more than a century, O. B. J. Fraser, superintendent of technical service of the International Nickel Company, said in an address before the Rochester section of the American Chemical Society.

Key West, Fla., has one street which runs from the Gulf of Mexico to the Atlantic ocean; it is Duv street.

TEETHING FEVER

Relieved/

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## Human Thought Photographed

Workings Of A Man's Mind Is Recorded By Russian Device

Human thought has been photographed.

A band of irregular lines traced on a sensitive plate in the Moscow Institute of the Brain is the world's first record in black and white of the actual working of man's mind during a period of sustained mental effort.

The Soviet Union's new "thought-camera," a delicate instrument which picks up the tiny electric waves sent out by the brain and records them photographically, was the device used to expose, for the first time, what happens inside the skull when a man thinks.

The currents vary drastically when the brain is idle and when it is active, the machine has proved. And practical application of the novel method of "thought recording," in the opinion of the scientists who conduct the institute may eventually lead to personal diagnosis of mental anomalies with a fair high percentage of cures than to-day.

One of the institute's staff—his name cannot be disclosed—sat facing the elaborate machinery of the "thought-camera." Two tiny needles were pressed down to the bone of the skull, through the flesh of the scalp just above the temples.

Wires carried the tiny electric currents of his idle mind, picked up by the needles, to a transformer which amplified the waves 1,000 times. A watch-hand on a dial began to vibrate with their varying intensity. A camera lens was focused on the dial. A slowly moving film pictured the fluctuations of the needle.

At rest, the mind gave out electric currents that waxed and waned with the regularity of a heart-beat. The picture on the film was one of sharp points alternating with sharp depressions—a school-child's scrawl of alpine peaks and valleys seen in profile. Then a command was snapped:

"Add 184 and 273."

The "patient" in the chair began to think—no to do the sum.

At once the current changed. The peaks and valleys straightened out into a hard, straight line that burned its way across the film for 30 seconds without any added motion.

"The answer is 457," he said, and settled back.

The hard line blured. Slowly the mind resumed its idle beat. The camera film again displayed its chart of peaks and valleys. The first experiment in history in the photography of human thought had been completed.

## Bringing In New Ideas

During Depression Years Many Were Not Put Into Effect

Here is an optimistic view of returning prosperity. In Boston recently Dr. Vannevar Bush, electrical engineer, told a meeting of the Society of Industrial Engineers that the passing of the depression would bring a flood of new ideas.

During the depression, he said, many good ideas were not put into effect because of business timidity. In addition, this trying period served to clean out most of the inefficient concerns. Awakening demand he will release the dammed up ideas and regenerated industry will welcome and make use of them.

This may furnish a partial answer to those who say pessimistically that unemployment has come to stay because, according to the present setup, fewer and fewer workers will be needed. Dr. Bush's theory is that new ideas will demand a new industrial alignment and a spread of industry in a variety of new directions.

## Rates On Feed Grain

Application Of Appeal Against Finding Of Board Of Railways Commissioners

Formal application of appeal has been made by Thomas Reid (Ldb., Westminster) to the cabinet council against the majority finding of the board of railway commissioners in connection with rates on feed grain and mill feed going from the prairies for local consumption in British Columbia. At present the rate on feed grain and mill feed from Edmonton or Calgary to Vancouver for export is 20 cents per 100 pounds, and if consumed in British Columbia 50 per cent more, in the case of grain and 100 per cent more in the case of mill feeds.

The Overseas Daily Mail says P. C. Walter J. Taylor, who has just retired after 26 years' service in the Southampton police, is believed to be the man who fired the last shot in the Boer War—and, by mistake, injured a British corporal,

## IN ONE POT

## HOW TO RELIEVE YOUR COLD ALMOST AT ONCE

Follow Simple Directions Here For Quick Relief

When you have a cold, remember the simple treatment pictured here . . . prescribed by doctors as the quick, easy way.

Results are amazing. Acute and distress go immediately. Because of Aspirin's quick-disintegrating property, Aspirin "takes hold"—almost instantly. Your cold is relieved "quick as you caught it!"

All you do is take Aspirin and drink plenty of water. Do this every 2 to 4 hours the first day—less often afterward . . . if throat is sore, the Aspirin gargle will ease it in as little as 2 minutes.

Ask your doctor about this. And when you get ASPIRIN when you buy, get the Bayer brand. And all druggists have it. Look for the name Bayer in the form of a cross on every Aspirin tablet. Aspirin is the trade mark of the Bayer Company, Limited.

## DOES NOT HARM THE HEART



## New Chemical Formula

Discovery May Help In Treating Nervous Disorders

Columbia University has announced discovery of the chemical formula of Vitamin B, an epochal step toward preservation of health.

B is the nerve vitamin, without which nerves go to pieces. The discovery gives hopes of more effective treatment of nerve disorders.

Until now Vitamin B has been available only from foodstuffs such as tomatoes, spinach, legumes, eggs, yeast, liver, kidney and other glandular tissues. Its extraction was difficult and it has not been obtained easily.

Synthesis will produce the pure vitamin, and it is expected to do so within unlimited quantities. The formula was discovered by Robert R. Williams of Columbia.

The atoms composing the vitamin are carbon, nitrogen, hydrogen, oxygen and sulphur. This fact has been known for a long time. The discovery is how to hook them together so that they will be Vitamin B.

## Argentina Crop

Not Coming Up To Previous Estimates Report

The current crop of wheat and flax in Argentina was described as not coming up to previous estimates in either quality or quantity in a report to the International Agriculture Institute.

Results obtained from threshing conducted in the province of Buenos Aires indicated the wheat was below the average. The corn crop and cattle were in good condition, the report said.

## IN ONE POT

Cook these three

Cauliflower

Turnips

Onions

VEGETABLES

without intermingling of flavors

It is possible to cook such starchy vegetables as onions, cauliflower and carrots all in one pot entirely without intermingling or escape of odor.

That can be done by

cooking the Cauliflower, Turnips and Onions in one pot.

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## Government Proposes To Launch Comprehensive Program To Deal Effectively With Drought Problem

Backed by the best information of experts of the department of agriculture, the Dominion government is preparing to launch a program early this spring which it hopes will deal effectively with the critical problem of drought areas of the three prairie provinces. Hon. Robert Weir, minister of agriculture, outlined plans in the House of Commons.

The program will be administered by the department of agriculture as a solely federal undertaking. An advisory committee, Mr. Weir told the house, of successful ranchers, wheat farmers and business men, would be appointed to assist the department in conduct and development of the plan.

For four years department experts have been studying conditions which affect fully 10,000,000 acres in the three provinces. Figures submitted by the minister showed that in 1933 drought affected 11,435,000 acres to such an extent that it produced less than five bushels of grain to the acre.

Plans the government will put in operation, it is claimed, will change the entire landscape in many sections of Saskatchewan, Alberta and Manitoba. The survey has been completed and all details worked out.

The kernel of the project will be demonstration areas selected in various sections of dried-out districts. Farmers of a dried-out township will be invited to co-operate. If they agree, and those who have worked on the plans say the settlers will be offered such terms that they will be glad to agree, then the administration of the township will be taken over and managed as one unit.

The farmers will form a committee which will have advice not only of agricultural experts but the best engineering advice the department can obtain. A township is 36 square miles. This is regarded as a sufficiently large area to conduct local committees and serve as a demonstration to all adjacent townships.

Administration of the project will decide what shall be done. Blocks 25 acres in extent will be planted to trees at strategic points to provide shelter for livestock, hold snow and shelter ponds and lakes constructed for water storage. Approximately 7,000,000 seedlings will be available from forestry stations of Indian Head and Sutherland, Sask.

The Dominion will provide trees, grass seed, fodder where necessary, in developing mixed farming or ranches and other facilities. The farmers will provide labor and be entitled to all the revenue. It is believed by organized methods the farmers will be able to make much more than by individual efforts. Water storage will be provided on every farm.

Plans call for eight demonstration areas in Saskatchewan, two or three in Alberta and one or two in Manitoba. Farmers outside the demonstration areas will be assisted to improve their farms in a manner based on the experiences of the demonstration areas.

Preparation for this step has been going on for the last four years, Mr. Weir explained. In addition to seedlings, tons of caragana seed will be planted. This is a tree of the pea family growing about 15 feet high and forming effective wind breaks and hedges. Trees planted will be cottonwood, willow, poplar, spruce and jack pine.

What the department is relying on most to reclaim dried-out areas is created wheat grass. This grass keeps alive with less moisture than any other forage.

In tanks with Russian thistle, the weed that grows on land when everything has been burnt. For some years this type of grass has been developed and the seed will be available in considerable quantities to build up ranches.

More than 100 small dams will be built under the program and proposals to undertake much larger projects are under consideration.

"It is generally conceded that this area should be divided into three regions, one suitable for ranching, one suitable almost entirely for the growing of wheat, and the intermediate region lending itself to a mixture of the two," said Mr. Weir.

"It is proposed to select a number of fairly large areas in each of these regions for the purpose of demonstration and research. Because these areas are under the jurisdiction of the provinces, it will be necessary to receive the whole-hearted co-operation of the provinces."

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of the farmers within the areas selected, this co-operation, by agreement, to extend over a period of years."

### Dressed Poultry Regulations

#### Details Of Amendments Respecting Grading And Marking

The recent amendments to the regulations respecting the grading and marking of dressed poultry consist of the substitution of a new section (No. 7) for the old one, and the addition of a new section (No. 10). Section 7 deals with the sterilization and marking of boxes containing poultry. It reads as follows:

- All boxes containing poultry to which these regulations apply shall be clearly and legibly stenciled on the outside of at least one end in block letters not less than three-quarters of an inch in length as to show correctly:
- In the left upper corner, the number of birds in the box. This mark may be omitted in the case of a box containing 12 birds, the recognized pack.
- In the left lower corner, "Tagged" if, and only if, all the birds in the box are tagged. In this corner may also be shown the gross weight of the package.
- In the right lower corner, the net weight.
- In the centre, the kind and sub-kind of poultry on the first line; the class and grade on the second line.
- In instances where the kind and sub-kind are partly designated by the same word, the sub-kind name shall be used.
- In the branding of turkeys, both kind and sub-kind shall be shown. The sub-kind may be indicated by the first letter or letters of the sub-kind.
- Stags and roosters must be branded as such.
- No person shall place on any such box any mark or design other than those required by this regulation, except such as may be authorized in any case by the Dominion Minister of Agriculture.

The other new regulation, which refers to the inspection, grading and marking of dressed poultry for export, has been added as section 16 as follows:

- No person shall either by himself, or through the agency of another person, ship dressed poultry for export from Canada unless the same has been inspected and certified by an inspector at point of shipment and is graded and packed and the containers marked in accordance with these regulations, and each individual bird marked with a tag bearing the class and grade as specified in these regulations.
- The Minister may from time to time prescribe the form, colour, and lettering of tags used to mark birds for export, and the place and method of attachment.
- Upon the end of the box stencilled in accordance with section 7, no mark or other designation shall appear except those required or allowed by this section.

#### New Fruit Commissioners

Lieut.-Colonel Roy L. Wheeler, B.E., V.D., has been appointed Fruit Commissioner of the Dominion Department of Agriculture to fill the vacancy made by the death of Commissioner G. E. McIntosh in August, 1934. Since 1922 Colonel Wheeler has been Fruit Transportation Specialist for the Department and his work in that connection has given him a wide acquaintance and experience with fruit growers, shippers, and with the wholesale trade generally, as well as with transportation interests throughout Canada.

#### How China Does It

To the bright officials of the Chinese ministry of railways goes the pain for inventing a system which puts a stop to argument with parents over the age of children. The Chinese in the past have followed the Canadian system of selling half-rate tickets for youngsters under a certain age. Now, after much trouble, children pay fare according to the height of the two," said Mr. Weir.

Twice as many babies in the United States survive their first year, as compared with conditions 25 years ago.

Fossil ostrich eggs found in China are so big that a single one about equals 40 hen's eggs.

### CHAMPIONS IN THE MAKING



Here are the juniors who captured the British Junior Lawn Tennis Covered Courts Championship in London. They are Miss J. M. Notley and D. J. Cook, whom critics expect to occupy prominent places in the Tennis World in a few years.

### Demand For Frozen Fruits

#### Output This Year Expected To Exceed 100,000 Pounds

Trial packs of frozen fruits and vegetables have been received by the public with increasing favor and their movement is increasing. The frozen pack of strawberries and raspberries amounted to from 40,000 to 50,000 pounds in 1934 compared with 6,000 pounds in 1933. In 1935, the output is expected to exceed 100,000 pounds. In addition to small fruits, such vegetables as spinach, asparagus, and peas, have been successfully treated. This process will extend the season of Canadian fruits and vegetables, and it is probable that the frozen product may compete with and displace a part of the imports of fresh products. There is an increasing interest being taken in frozen fruit by large institutions, such as hospitals, which can freeze their own supplies and hold them for use.

Egg Pedlar (to wife) — "Sufferin' snakes, Florabel, you sold the wrong eggs to that last woman."

Wife — "How so?"  
Pedlar — "You sold her some of that lot we dated September 10 and it's only September 1 now."

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### Canadian Durum Wheat

#### European Countries Using Our Wheat For Blending Purposes

An interesting feature of the wheat situation is the growing appreciation of the high quality of Canadian-grown durum wheat. Thus, certain European countries and it is advantageous to blend their home-grown wheat with at least some of them, with a proportion of foreign wheats of the same type. Of late, the Canadian product has come to be regarded as pre-eminent on account of its superior strength. Another reason for the popularity of Canadian durum is the relatively high degree of purity by which it has thus far been characterized. The acreage sown to durum wheat in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, to which provinces the production of this wheat is largely confined, amounts to 2,085,000, with an estimated production of approximately 22 million bushels.

"Mary," said Mrs. Aiden to her cook, "I wonder if the pudding is done. Stick a knife in it and see if it comes out clean."

A few minutes later the cook announced: "It came out wonderful ma'am, so I stuck all the other knives in, too."

### The SNAPSHOT GUILD

#### STUDY YOUR COMPOSITION



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## Proposed Ocean Airship Line Which Will Seek World-Wide As Well as Atlantic Ocean Trade

### Protecting Food Products

#### New Insecticide Protects Food By Fumigating Process

Since the introduction of wax paper and cellophane considerable progress has been made in preventing deterioration and infestation of food products by insects subsequent to manufacture. Many manufacturers now fumigate their products after packing, and a new insecticide, which consists of one part ethylene oxide to nine parts carbon dioxide, is coming into use. The products packed ready for market are placed in a vault into which the required amount of fumigant is introduced. In this way food products, cereals, candies, and other commodities are rendered insect free at the time of shipment from the factory or mill. No odour is imparted to the materials. The only drawback to this treatment, according to officers of the Dominion Department of Agriculture who have had ample opportunity to test this insecticide during the past two years, is the cost. However, with extended use, this objection will be obviated.

This fumigant is non-injurious to human beings, is non-inflammable, and may be used without injurious effects in the control of insects infesting various materials. It was first investigated and developed by research workers in agriculture.

### 1935 Hatchery Regulations

#### Only One Alteration Made From That Of 1934

When only a few chicks are to be raised, and time is not an important factor, natural methods may be used, but when chicks are to be raised commercially and time is an important factor, artificial methods are advised. For this reason, the Dominion Department of Agriculture has issued and brought up to date circular 70 which deals with the brooding and rearing of chicks.

With reference to the rearing of chicks under the hatchery regulations, breeders will note that, so far as the rules and regulations of the hatchery approval policy for the 1935 season are concerned, only one alteration has been made from those of 1934 through the addition of rule 13. This has been inserted to protect provinces which have asked for proclamation of the hatchery regulations and are hatching only from approved blood-tested flocks. The rule is as follows: No approved hatchery shall chick into any province which has included blood-testing in its flock approval policy and where the hatchery regulations are in effect, except approved hatcheries have only eggs from blood-tested flocks.

### The Secret Of Success

#### Is Doing Your Work Well And Keeping At It

Waiting for something to turn up, is waiting for moonbeams to turn into silver, for magic and chance to take the place of natural law in the universe. It is the philosophy of the shiftless, the refuge of the lazy, the excuse of the improvident.

Let us sing a halilujah and make a fresh beatitude: "Blessed are the spares." It is the one thing we can not spare.

The secret of success lies in that old word drudgery, in doing one thing long after it ceases to be amusing, but it is that one thing that gathers you together from chaos, that concentrates you from possibilities to powers, and turns powers into achievements.

No man can stand still. The moment progress is not made, regression begins. —John W. Hall.

### Uncommon But Not Rare

When a Toronto man found himself two or three inches shorter than he had been, he reported to a hospital to see what was causing the shrinkage. It was found he was suffering from Paget's disease, an uncommon but not rare malady. The disease is characterized by deformities and compressions of the bones which result in loss of height. Many cases with a shortening of six to eight inches are on record.

Trimming will often be made a drastic change to be made in the composition of a picture. Trimming your pictures shows a two or three point perspective and attractive scenes are worth many snapshots with innumerable points of possible interest. The secret is the choice of the picture to be taken. First of all the camera is controlled by the way the camera is held — vertically or horizontally.

It is thought likely that the Arabs acquired the ancient art of paper making when they took captive some Chinese paper makers.

Chemists have found a cheap way of fireproofing canvas.

While news dispatches and photographs tell a fast-paced world of progress in building the British superliner Queen Mary and the Great French ship Normandie, other reports forecast a competition which would take away much of the importance and perhaps some of the bitterness of this subsidized battle for supremacy in shipbuilding. With the Graf Zeppelin showing profits on its South American trips, Germany is preparing to make a bid to keep its "A-deck" passengers by turning to the air lines.

From Berlin comes word of a proposed ocean airship "line" which will seek world-wide as well as Atlantic ocean trade. Work has already begun on the airship at Frankfurt-am-Main. It is on the Rhine Valley and closer to European centres than Friederichshafen, the old port. Fast airplane service to all parts of Europe is planned. Another port of call is promised for Seville, Spain.

From Washington, a dispatch reports that Dr. Hugo Eckener, famous commander of the Graf, is in the capital to confer with government officials for temporary use of airship moorings at Lakehurst, Cape May and Miami. He is enthusiastic over the possibility of Washington as a trans-Atlantic air terminus. This last, in itself, is an interesting commentary on the shift of importance from New York to the nation's capital. In air travel, centres of interest rather than deep-water harbor facilities will be the important factor.

Thus Germany, finding her fast liners, Bremen and Europe, threatened by the two luxury vessels and already challenged by Italian craft, proposes to keep the cream of passenger, mail and express business by turning to the air. If the new airships can duplicate the performances of the Graf for fast sea crossings and profit, the project has the possibility of success. Other nations will then have to take to the air, too, if they wish to compete for the mythical "Blue Ribbon on the Atlantic," and water-borne ships will rip out staterooms to make cargo holds. —Christian Science Monitor.

### Tree Planting In Alberta

#### Distributing Trees To Farmers Who Have Wood Lots

Tre planting in Alberta continues on an extensive scale, and more than 100,000 white spruce trees and some 5,400 green ash will be available for distribution in the spring from the provincial nurseries at Oliver, according to an announcement made by the forestry branch of the Alberta Department of Lands and Mines. These trees will be distributed under the plan adopted two years ago to farmers who have wood lots or 40 acres, community centres, etc. Last year some 34,000 trees of various kinds were distributed from the nurseries to 22 different sources which included 183 farmers, 18 schools, 13 institutions, and 14 municipalities.

### Educating The Children

#### Soviet Plans Include Films For Five-Year-Olds

A special film, designed to appeal to an audience of up to children with an average age of five years, has been produced in Moscow by the director, Stepanov, and shown to the desired audience. The idea is connected with Soviet plans for starting the education of children before they reach school age. Roars of laughter greeted the film. Its title was "The Most Dirty of All."

### Busy For A Day

There is a railway station near Bisley in England, that is used only once a day, but then it handles several thousand passengers. It is built on the lonely moors adjoining the shooting grounds of the National Rifle Association and used only during the annual one-day shoot for the king's prize.

### Bachelors Wanted

The United States army announced it is seeking 33 bassoon, oboe and trombone players for army bands in Panama and Hawaii. Only bachelors need apply.

All the great volcanoes of Mexico, dead and active, extend in a "battery" from Pacific to Atlantic, approximately along the nineteenth parallel.

# FALSE TEETH



## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Lady Willingdon, wife of the Indian viceroy, has issued an appeal for a special charity fund to commemorate the king's silver jubilee next May.

A grant of \$9,000 for the Canadian Legion was passed in the House of Commons. It is used to help return men present their pension cases to the tribunals.

The sum of \$8,546,119 was collected from the excise tax on sugar from last April 1 to Dec. 31, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons.

A decline of 53,500 in the number of persons in receipt of British war pensions or allowances is shown in the latest report of the ministry of pensions. The total figure now is 1,503,000.

Sir Philip Sassoon, British under-secretary for air, told the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce he looked forward to inauguration of a trans-Atlantic air route from Britain to the United States and Canada.

Probably from 45,000 to 60,000 pension applications will require adjudication by the Canadian pensions commission in the next two years, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons.

Canada recently lost a \$1,000,000 order for wheat from China because the Chinese bankers resented "our contempt for them," Prof. C. T. Curley, curator of the Royal Ontario museum, told members of the Optimum Club in Toronto.

Prof. William L. Carlyle, manager of the Prince of Wales E.P. ranch near High River, Alta., said there was a better demand for stock this year than last and prospects for general improvement in Western Canada were bright.

### For Smaller Ships

#### Battery of Diesel Engines Are Better Than Steel

The Diesel engine has been applied quite extensively to ships. A member of the Institute of Mechanical Engineering of London suggests that for ships of over ten thousand tons steam is best. For smaller ships he would change the present system and substitute a whole battery of small Diesel engines. He would install a hundred engines of seventy-five horsepower. An engine here and there could be cut in or cut off at will. They would consume no more fuel and would stop the vibration and make no more noise than "bees on a summer afternoon."—Halifax Chronicle.

#### No Argument

An amateur dramatic society in Australia was giving a show, an affair with royalty in it.

"Come," said the actor, who was playing the king, "let us go into the 'cuse."

There was a titter from the boxes. "He said 'cuse,'" an occupant remarked. The actor, overhearing, turned to the offender. "Yes, I said 'cuse'—do you think a king would live in apartments?"

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimates the value of the field crops in Canada in 1934 at almost \$536,000,000. This is about \$113,000,000 more than in 1933.

### SKIN BLEMISHES Vanih Before Physician's Prescription

Those spots of acne on your face—why let them go on tormenting you? Like millions of others have done, you can get rid of your skin trouble through the services of a good physician. Dr. D. D. Deacon, Dr. Deacon's Dispensary—known in many countries as D.D.D. and now manufactured by Canadian Chemicals—will chemically restore your skin to health. All druggists sell D.D.D. Trial size, 25c. Guaranteed to give instant relief or money refunded.

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### A Paying Industry

#### Canada Has Sixteen Establishments Making Macaroni

Canada is one of the countries of the world peculiarly able to manufacture macaroni, thanks to her excellent Durum wheat crops. Once upon a time sunny Italy was the one and only producer of macaroni and its fame spread to all countries. In the eighteenth century, some young Englishmen, after a visit to Italy, waxed so enthusiastic over macaroni that they formed a Macaroni Club, one of the members of which was Charles James Fox, the statesman. But the glory, to a considerable extent, has departed from Italy. Many countries now make macaroni, Canada alone having sixteen establishments engaged in its manufacture in 1933. In that year the total production amounted to nearly 27,000,000 pounds, close on 3,000,000 of which went to the British Isles, while 1,000,000 pounds went to seven other different countries, from Newfoundland to Japan.

### FASHION FANCIES



#### BUTTONS TRIP DOWN BACK OF SMARTEST DRESSES THIS SEASON—SUCH A YOUTH-FUL MODE!

By Ellen Worth  
Here's a charming little dress done in black novelty jersey, a sporty type for general daytime occasions. A white bengaline collar completes the attractive costume. The buttons are black bone. A gay aoraa plain is another practical suggestion that is extremely youthful.

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## HITLER IS TAKING TIME TO REPLY TO PROPOSALS

Berlin.—Upon his own shoulders Adolf Hitler has taken the responsibility of replying to the Anglo-French proposals for an inclusive European security agreement.

So vital does the ruer consider Germany's answer it became known that he has barricaded himself behind stacks of papers and documents and gone into monk-like retreat to ponder the momentous decision.

The realm leader, it is said, intends to study the armaments problem from beginning to end before replying to London and Paris—which have jointly proposed an air alliance for the western European Locarno signatories, Germany's return to Geneva, the Reich's adherence to France's eastern Locarno and invalidation of most of the armaments clauses of the Versailles Treaty applying to Germany.

London.—Italy told Great Britain that the multi-lateral treaties projected in eastern and central Europe should be simplified so as to permit their eventual inclusion in one diplomatic document. This, it was understood, was set forth in detail by Dino Grandi, Italian ambassador, when he called on Sir John Simon, foreign secretary.

### Reindeer Trek

Herd Of 2,500 Ready For Last Lap To Permanent Feeding Grounds

Edmonton.—The 2,500 reindeer which herders for many weeks have been holding at the mouth of the Mackenzie in readiness for the 90-mile drive across the delta to permanent feeding grounds on the shore of the Arctic are still at Shingle Point, according to a radio message to the Edmonton Journal from Akavik.

Weather, ice and snow conditions are now favorable but herders are waiting for the approach of the full moon.

Migrating herds of caribou have reached Fort McPherson on the Mackenzie river, 75 miles south, and appear to be heading toward Akavik, giving promise of needed meat supplies.

### Large Sum Collected

Excise Tax On Sugar Brings Over Eight Million

Ottawa.—The sum of \$5,461,119 was collected from the excise tax on sugar from last April to Dec. 31, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons. Of this total, \$5,222,675 was collected on domestic sugar sold at the balance of \$323,444 on imported sugar.

For April last, the tax was at the rate of two cents per pound, but this was reduced to one cent from May 1 under the last budget.

### Royal Wedding Gown

Gown Worn By Duchess Of Kent May Be Placed In London Museum

London.—It is expected the bridal gown worn by the Duchess of Kent on the occasion of her marriage to Their Majesties, youngest son, on Nov. 29 last, eventually will be placed permanently in the London museum. The museum already holds many other similar royal robes. The dress was on view at St. James' Palace for some time, along with the exhibition of wedding presents.

### Ship Fodder From North

Prince Albert.—An average of 1,500 cars of fodder a week is being shipped from farmers in the Prince Albert division of the Canadian National Railways. About 65 per cent of the baled fodder is for export to the United States, the remainder is to alleviate the feed situation among farmers in the drought-stricken areas of southern Saskatchewan.

### Application Refused

Vancouver.—Application of Attorney-general Gordon Sloan for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada from a judgment of the British Columbia court of appeal, ordering a new trial for three Indian brothers convicted of murder, has been refused by Chief Justice Sir Lyman Duff.

Alaska produced more gold, in terms of present value, in 1934 than in any year since 1916.

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## Riots In Paris

Many Communists Are Arrested And Arms Confiscated

Paris.—A dramatic last-minute descent upon the capital of several thousand Communists from outlying "Red" districts was broken up by police with 1,200 "preventive" arrests to commemorate the anniversary of the fatal riots of 1924.

Confiscating pistols, clubs and cans of explosive material, police pounced last night upon Communist groups converging on the Place de la Concorde, focus of the bloody riots a year ago where 19 met death, after a generally quiet day marked only by memorial services and elaborate police precautions.

Shortly after midnight police arrested a band of 40 Communists, armed with revolvers and daggers, at the Elysee palace, residence of the French president. Police said they were heading for the Place de la Concorde.

In the earlier roundups two shots were fired but nobody was hurt.

The Reds were picked up at railroad stations, subway entrances and autobus entrances on the outskirts of the city as they gathered from the "Red belt" around Paris and headed toward the centre of the city.

The Communists apparently responded to orders of their leaders to assemble at the Place de la Concorde. The Rightists sought to gather there after their memorial meeting. They came from the outlying suburbs in large groups.

Meanwhile, the Patriotic Youth organization marched 3,000 strong under police escort after the memorial meeting to the Arch of Triumph. There they dipped their flags in salute to the unknown soldier and dispersed.

Shortly after midnight the Place de la Concorde was practically deserted with police in minor scuffles.

## Air Alliance

Ramsay MacDonald Sees It As Effective Move Towards Peace

Luton, England.—The projected European agreement for an air alliance was hailed by Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald as an effective move towards peace. He was addressing a government rally at Luton in Bedfordshire. The prime minister's remarks were received with mingled cheering and jeers.

Under the proposed agreement, the prime minister said, was established the "most effective deterrent to an aggressor ever established by the alliance of the nations." He termed it a great step towards peace and a great step toward making war unthinkable and impossible.

Mr. MacDonald said the Anglo-French declaration had received consideration by the German people. He hoped with all his heart that as a result Germany would reappear at the League of Nations and re-enter the road to more international agreements in regard to armaments would be made good again. Like all those who were practical peace-makers, he believed that the nations would move onward towards a state of peace.

## Dominion Status For India

Stated That This Is The Ultimate Goal Of British Policy

London.—A definite pledge that Dominion status was the ultimate goal of British policy in India was given by Sir Samuel Hoare, secretary of state for India, as debate opened in the House of Commons on second reading of the bill providing a new constitution for that country.

The declaration was considered as the answer of the government to criticisms levelled in many quarters against omission from the proposed bill of any mention of dominion status.

Sir Samuel said there was no need of a preamble to the present bill similar to that of the act of 1919, which the government had no intention of repeating. That preamble was interpreted by the viceroy in 1929 (Lord Irwin) with the full authority of the government of that day as meaning that dominion status was contemplated as the natural issue of India's progress. The present government stood firmly by the viceroy's statement and the preamble.

### Pension Applications

Ottawa.—Probably from 45,000 to 50,000 pension applications will require adjudication by the Canadian pensions commission in the next two years, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons.

## Butter Costs

Cost Of Manufacturing Found Of Creamery Butter

Saskatoon.—The average cost of manufacturing a pound of creamery butter in the prairie provinces last year was 3.65 cents and the average creamery turned out 348,432 pounds. These figures were given by C. V. Parker, economics branch, Ottawa, to the manufacturers' session of the provincial dairy convention.

Mr. Parker's survey showed the largest manufacturers to have the lowest manufacturing cost, and of butter produced. Plant wages and overhead were much lower in the large plants but salaries and other administration costs were higher.

The highest cost for making a pound of butter in a creamery was 5.71 cents and the lowest 2.42 cents. The big creameries had higher transportation costs.

## KIDNAPPER IS GIVEN FIFTEEN YEAR SENTENCE

London.—The week-old trial of David Meisner ended when the former Cincinnati gambler was convicted and sentenced to 15 years in penitentiary on charges connected with the kidnapping of John S. Labatt, wealthy London brewer, last August.

After deliberating one hour and 13 minutes, a Middlesex county assizes jury composed of 10 farmers, a jeweler and a painter, brought in a verdict of guilty on each of three counts.

Mr. Justice G. F. McFarland then sentenced the bookmaker. Meisner heard the same sentence on each count, all to run concurrently.

Two counts dealt with the kidnapping—the abduction and detention of Labatt—and the third charged Meisner with armed robbery. Labatt was buried near Sarnia last August 14.

The armed robbery charge arose from the theft of \$99 from his head when he was taken captive.

Meisner was given a life sentence as he faced the jurors. His mouth dropped slightly as he heard "guilty" pronounced on each count. Before the verdict was announced by Donald Bright, 30-year-old farmer, Meisner mopped his face with a mauve silk handkerchief.

Meisner's expression did not change but he learned forward and the corners of his mouth moved nervously after the final pronouncement.

## Preparing To Give Reports

Mass Buying Commission Working On Exhibits And Records

Ottawa.—Members of the royal commission on price apres and mass buying were delving into a mountainous heap of exhibits and records, analysing statistics, studying evidence and comparing notes preparatory to writing their report.

It was believed that a majority and two minority reports may emerge from the commission. Examination of all the documents will occupy about three weeks, Chairman W. W. Kennedy said.

### ROYALISTS HONEYMOON IN NEW YORK



United in marriage at a brilliant royal ceremony in Rome, Prince Aly Khan and his bride, the Infanta Beatrice, daughter of the exiled King Alfonso of Spain, are pictured upon their arrival in New York City on their honeymoon.

## WILL SUPPORT INDIA BILL

Cut In Ede Payments

Riots Staged In Sheffield As A Protest

London.—The cabinet met to consider modifying the provisions for unemployment relief under the unemployed trust board while protests against the system were voiced through the country.

The government took note of the growing unpopularity of the "means test" regulations framed by the board and Oliver Stanley, minister of labor, ordered a "standstill" on the regulations and promised that all cuts would be restored.

The protests took violent form at Sheffield. Nine policemen were injured between 20 and 30 persons arrested when several thousand people clashed with police. The crowd tried unsuccessfully to send representations to interview the city council. Stones were thrown and mounted and foot police had to charge into the crowd before order was restored.

Local communities and groups of unemployed in sections where inequalities have been charged—and hardships in some instances officially admitted—registered demands for adjustment of the scales, which, if accepted, probably would bring about general increases in the old rates.

Coincident with the meeting of the board new regulations were arranged which sliced "dole" payments in some sections and increased them in others.

A general uproar resulted. During recent weeks hundreds of sectional protests, including one demonstration in the public gallery of the House of Commons, have taken place. An estimated 300,000 persons attended various meetings in South Wales alone.

## Merge Departments

Ottawa Legislation Contemplates A New Set-Up

Ottawa.—Amalgamation of railways and canals, civil aviation, wireless and telegraph services and the Canadian radio commission under one minister is contemplated in legislation to set up a department of communications as forecast in the speech from the throne.

The measure will be presented to parliament shortly but will be preceded by acts respecting hours of work which may be brought down this week.

Few details of the merger of communication activities under the new department have been made public and complete information will have to await presentation of the measure in the House of Commons. It is known, however, that the department will have jurisdiction over telephone and telegraph rates. Inclusion of railways and canals removes the necessity of creating an additional portfolio.

Jurisdiction over the Canadian radio commission will be taken away from the department of marine but it is understood the radio-telegraph branch of that department will not be disturbed.

Other items of reform program are approaching readiness for introduction of legislation. They include establishment of an economic council, which will start shortly.

## Would Destroy Prize Poultry

Toronto.—All prize birds entered in poultry contests should be slaughtered immediately after the competition.

Dr. C. H. Weaver of the Dominion experimental farm, Ottawa, told members of the Canadian National Poultry Record Association in convention here. "Only by such radical action can the spread of infection and contagious diseases among poultry be checked," he said.

The plan was recommended as a means of getting information about the best method of dealing with dud conditions.

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While the scheme would be valuable as a means of getting information its effects could not be felt for some years even in the areas where the work was undertaken. The eight townships selected as demonstration townships might contain 320 farmers, while the number of farms in the area affected by dud was about 40,000.

"While these demonstrations are set up and carried on, we cannot allow these farmers to wait without applying such knowledge as we have towards their problems," Mr. Taggart said. "We propose to go ahead with our plans at once although welcoming any information that may come from these demonstrations," he concluded.

## Test Proved Fatal

Madras, India.—A fatal test of a snakebite cure for acute tuberculosis was made by a brahmin here. Inspired by his diet, the triple-headed goddess Dattatreya, to try the cure, the brahmin ferreted out a cobra, the deadliest Indian reptile, and permitted the snake to bite him repeatedly. He died in agony shortly afterward.

### Predicts Ocean Air Route

Plymouth, England.—Sir Philip Sassoon, British under-secretary for air, told the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce he looked forward to inauguration of a trans-Atlantic air route from Britain to the United States and Canada.

## OVERSEAS LEAGUE SITS IN AT FIRST RADIO LUNCHEON

London.—Two hundred members of the Overseas League, under the presidency of Sir Evelyn Wren, participated in the first "wireless" luncheon. At the same time delegates to the imperial press conference in South Africa were gathered about the table in Capetown and messages were exchanged between the two functions over a 6,000-mile circuit.

Sir Kingsley Wood, postmaster-general, led off the speeches with greetings to the company in South Africa and with perfect clarity, with the reply of Hon. C. F. Clark, minister of posts and telegraphs of South Africa. A short speech by J. H. Thomas, minister for dominions, "a signal victory," was answered by General J. C. Smuts, prime minister of South Africa.

"The stay of the imperial press conference delegates in South Africa," Prime Minister Herzig said, "will afford them not so much an opportunity of getting a profound insight into all our problems, and attempts to solve them, as to come into closer contact with the people of the union, thereby enabling them in their future writings on South African topics to visualize us in the brotherhood of common human weakness and strength—subject to the same failings, but also inspired by the same high ideals, as the rest of the people of the commonwealth."

## Alberta Legislature

Greater Outlay For Roads Is Forecast In Throne Speech

Edmonton.—Greater outlays on secondary and minor roads, provincial assistance for needy settlers in cultivating new homestead areas and revision of rules of court were forecast in the throne speech presented at the opening of the Alberta legislature by Hon. W. L. Walsh, lieutenant-governor.

The speech stated that a bill will be presented to the house providing for the establishment of the office of public trustee, while there will be amending acts dealing with debt adjustment, consolidation of local tax areas and other matters of importance.

While a new redistribution act is generally understood to be on the way, the speech made no mention of such legislation.

A special plan similar to that proposed by Hon. Bob Weir was recommended by a committee on competition reporting to the Bryant committee two years ago, Hon. J. G. Taggart, Saskatchewan minister of agriculture, said.

Dr. A. M. Shaw, Dr. L. E. Kirk and Mr. Taggart were members of that committee.

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In proceeding with a revision of the rules of court, the government is said to recognize the necessity of expediting and simplifying legal procedure besides reducing the costs of litigation.

### Librarian Of New Bank

Kingston, Ont.—Miss Mary Rowland, graduate of Queen's University and at present assistant in the reference department at the Douglas library, has been appointed librarian of the Bank of Canada in Ottawa, and assistant to D. A. Skelton. Miss Rowland assumed her duties February 11.

### To Donate Park

Paris.—France will cede to Canada a 4½-acre strip adjoining the cemetery of Cimetière des Champs, a field of battle, to the Canadian army. The field was introduced by two French cabinet ministers in enacted into law. The land is used as the site for a park and monument to the memory of Canadian soldiers killed from 1914 to 1918.

### Students From Australia

Toronto.—Sixteen young women, students of the School of Science, Sydney, Australia, were welcomed to the University of Toronto by President H. J. Cody. The purpose of their visit is to gain first hand knowledge of how the schools on this continent are dealing with social problems.

### Admiral Byrd Sails For Home

Second Antarctic expedition of Admiral Richard E. Byrd turned away from Little America and headed for the civilization it left behind 17 months ago.

## Bitterness Left By War

### Admitted To Be Chief Cause Of Present Unrest In Europe

Ask any informed man what is the chief cause of the present unrest in Europe and he will tell you that it is the injustice and the stupidity of the post-war treaties.

Ask him why, this being so, the treaties can't be revised, and he will remind you that the mutual suspicions and resentments bred by war make it impossible.

These two questions, then, will bring you down to one of the most peculiar and dangerous factors in modern life—the change that has come over the way in which nations wage war nowadays, and the price that has to be paid for it.

The World War differed from its predecessors not only in the fact that more countries and more soldiers were involved, but also in the fact that it was waged in a different spirit.

The old restrictions on the desire to hurt one's enemy fell away. It speedily developed into a fight in which, as they say, of a war-brawl, anything went. No longer was the man in the arms the sole target. Defenseless citizens were bombed, over and over again, by both sides. Women, children, old men and invalids were slain, as well as soldiers. Merchant ships were sunk without warning. Blockades were adopted, so rigorous that they condemned thousands upon thousands of non-combatants to malnutrition, disease and death.

Not since the world began to call itself civilized had there been so vicious a kind of fighting as was adopted between 1914 and 1918. There were no souls. Everything was permissible.

Things that would have horrified the whole world if they had been done in earlier wars were taken as a matter of course.

It was only natural that that kind of war should leave people with a greater heritage of bitterness and suspicion than previous wars had quenched them.

When the bitter experiences of four years teach you to look on your enemy as a kind incubus, you don't forget it overnight.

For years to come he remains the man who bombed hospitals and starved children and carried the war into your backyard.

And if you beat him, and the peace treaties make him suffer—well, you're not inclined to be very soft-hearted about it.

This unquestionably explains much of the reluctance of the victorious nations to consider a revision of the treaties. And this psychological twist is worth remembering.

Military men everywhere are asking for it granted that the next war will be fought as the last one was—without rules.

We should not let ourselves forget that that kind of fighting calls for a heavy price to be paid after the actual conflict has ended—Vancouver Sun.

### Takes Mail Ships Aloft

#### New Machine To Release Heavily-Loaded Planes In Mid-Air

A giant "mother" seaplane, capable of carrying a smaller plane on its back and releasing it in mid-air, is under construction at Rochester, England. It will be tested in June.

It is planned to attach a heavily-loaded, single-motored mail plane to the upper wing and fuselage of the monster. The smaller "ship," which would be unable to lift its heavy cargo of gas and mail will be released by a special device, after which the "mother" plane will return to the harbor.

Postal authorities hope by this method to increase the cruising range of the smaller craft by more than 1,000 miles.

#### The Cost Is High

Here's what it takes to dig New York out of a snowstorm: 30,000 men, 390 plowing trucks with plows attached.

190 cross-walk plows, 45 snow-sweeping machines, 30 loading machines, 90 trucks for hauling, 670 associated trucks. And the cost—an estimated \$1,600,000.

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## BRITISH TANK CROSSES SUEZ FOR FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR



When a 12-ton British tank set out to travel from Cairo to Ismailia recently and had to be ferried across the Suez Canal, it was the first time since the Great War that a tank had been taken across the Canal. Here we see the tank on its special raft being rowed and towed across the Suez by a party of Royal Engineers.

### Under New Name

#### Chinese Vegetable Called "Amaranth" May Be Just Spinach

"Eat more amaranth" is the slogan of a campaign now going on in China to ensure that children are provided with a sufficient quantity of vitamins.

Amaranth, a kind of green vegetable which was discovered about 4,000 years ago and is very common in China, has just been found to contain all the food values of many of the more expensive foods.

According to a leading physiologist, they are a fruitful source of vitamin C, in which respect they are superior to spinach, oranges and lemons. They are also a valuable safeguard against scurvy and kindred diseases.

Amaranth has the additional advantage of being very cheap and plentiful. Up till now the leaves have been ignored as a table "delicacy" except by the poorest classes.

Editor's note: Amaranth is suspected of being spinach—Toronto Star Weekly.

### Versatile Prince

#### Prince Of Wales Can Play The Bagpipes

It is perhaps not common knowledge that the Prince of Wales can play the bagpipes. Not only that, but he knows enough about them to compose music, which, say authorities, can be effectively reproduced by the pipes. His latest effort is a slow march, called "Majorca," and the Scots Guards pipe-bands are practicing it for such ceremonial occasions as the changing of the St. James Palace guard. The Prince, as a musical amateur, teaches his son, for it is his duty, his energy, his eccentricity, his inimitability that have so endeared him to the people of the British Commonwealth of Nations. A bonnie Prince, indeed!—Winnipeg Free Press.

### Give Lasting Warmth

#### Doctor Recommends Hot Tea Or Coffee In Cold Weather

If you want to get warm in zero days, drink hot tea or coffee but not alcohol. Dr. James O. Pinkston of the Harvard Medical School faculty advised in a lecture at Boston, Mass.

Alcohol, he declared, gave a temporary sensation of warmth, but actually decreased the body temperature by causing a marked increase in the flow of blood to the surface of the body.

"An exposure to cold which would be uncomfortable but not dangerous to a normal person might produce such a marked fall of body temperature as to cause death in an intoxicated person," he asserted.

#### Could Keep Up

The girl's shorthair was a bit under par but she thought of a way to remedy matters. A classified ad. in a Dallas, Texas, newspaper said: "An experienced lady stenographer, 18 years of age, desires position with stammering man who takes a long time to tell it."

While exploring pits in a cave near Carrara, Italy, more recently found an underground river 1,500 feet below the surface and a mile from the cave entrance, while remains of prehistoric animals were discovered not far away.

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### Names Replace Numbers

#### Berlin Hotels Furnish Rooms To Represent German Towns

Names of romantic and historical places now supplant the doors of the rooms in a Berlin hotel, the unimaginative and conventional numbers.

At the Central Hotel, near the Friedrichstrasse, a broad terminal

such guest's room bears the name of some well known place and is furnished with photographs picturing the scenes of that locality and reproducing its atmosphere. Though all the

remodelled rooms now available refer

only to Berlin locations, the rooms of

each succeeding story, when com-

pleted, will feature other principal

towns of Germany, with the result

that a tour of the hotel will en-

brace a veritable tour of the Reich.

Another innovation this hotel is

adopting, and which will be of assis-

tance of the foreigner unacquainted

with the German tongue, is the re-

placement of the bell ringing system.

Electric light bulbs opposite little

ornamental figures representing the

bell hop, maid, etc., will be used in-

stead. Just push the proper button,

and presto, the maid appears.

### Need Many Restaurants

#### Few Families In Moscow Can Get Meals At Home

Out of every three Muscovites

get their meals in Moscow's 200

restaurants or from its 26 huge fac-

tory kitchens, a recent report shows.

The great increase in the employ-  
ment of women and the limited hous-  
ing accommodations are held respon-  
sible for the number of public eating

places. Families living in one room

and sharing with a dozen neighbors

a single oil-burner in a common

kitchen have little opportunity to

prepare meals at home.

### The Waste Of Life

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### A Universal Language

#### English Has Highest Claims To Opinion Of Author

A universal language is the most

crying need of the world, but it has

been a language not a skeleton of one.

"It has to be a language with literature," said Mr. Follick in his

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"With science, art, commerce and politics, a language easy to learn and of dominating importance."

Mr. Follick has examined in detail the

claims of the existing languages and

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### To Die Rich, Some Men Live In Poverty

## Heart Has Its Limit

### Even The Strongest Will Not Stand Continued Abuse

For the past year or more, a reader of the daily papers could not help but be struck by the number of sudden deaths from all parts of Canada that have been reported.

The cause of these deaths has always been reported as a sudden heart attack. We have seen many of these deaths were really caused by the heart suddenly ceasing to function, and how many were really the culmination of a long strain on the heart resulting in sudden death.

Age has, apparently, little to do with the matter. Men in their thirties were stricken, as often as men at the age of seventy.

Is the human heart a more feeble engine than it used to be? Are men born with weaker hearts than those of their fathers or grandfathers?

Not likely. Perhaps some of these sudden deaths might be laid at the door of our present mode of living. Our speed, our need of greater rest.

And, undoubtedly, many are directly traceable to the business depression. People on the land and living retired in small communities can not even conceive of the strain of doing business in the past few years.

The fight of the business man, great and small, to keep going, to keep his head above water. Many have succeeded, many have not, and many have been broken under the strain.

Then, too often another sudden death is reported. Apparently the human heart has its limit. And, apparently, too many men, whether they have been conscious of the fact or not, have been attempting to extend that limit too far.

### Liberty And Restraint

#### Ruskin Explains Why The Latter Is More Honorable

You hear every day greater numbers of foolish people speaking about liberty, as if it were such an honorable thing. So far from being that, it is, on the whole and in the broadest sense, dishonorable, and an attribute of the lower creatures. No human being, however great or powerful, was ever so free as a fish. There is always something that he must do which the fish may do with pleasure.

All the kings of the world put together are not half so large as the sea, and all the railroads and wheels that ever were, or will be invented, are not so easy as fins. You will find, on fairly thinking of it, that it is his restraint which is honorable to man, not his liberty; and, what is more, it is restraint which is honorable even in the lower animals. A butterfly is more free than a bee, but you honor the bee more just because it is subject to certain laws which fit it for orderly function in bee society. And throughout the world, of the two abstract things, liberty and restraint, restraint is always the more honorable.—John Ruskin.

### Facts About Baseball

#### Game Called "Cat And Dog" Was Played In 1833

"Cat and Dog" was the first name of baseball as played in 1833. "Aunt Over" came next in 1835, then "Round Ball" in 1837, and "Baseball" in 1845.

In 1834 a game called "Town Ball" was played. It required 100 runs to win the game. Some of the contests ran two or three days before a decision was reached.

On September 13, 1845, the first baseball meeting was held.

The New York Mercury was the first newspaper to print baseball news. This was in 1853, when Senator Caldwell published that paper.

In 1856 the Union Club of Chicago played the first game in that city.

In 1858 a fly-catch rule was introduced. Prior to that time any ball caught on the first bound was out.

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### Rivers Are Disappearing

#### General Water Level Has Dropped All Over Continent

The low stage of water recorded for several years in the Great Lakes seems to be reflected to some extent all over this country, giving rise to some apprehension as to the general water supply.

It is reported from Winnipeg that there is a remarkable shortage of water in the Red and Assiniboine rivers at that city. In 1783, when La Verendrye, the French explorer arrived at what is now the site of the city of Winnipeg, he found that area cut in many directions by swift flowing streams. These have virtually disappeared and the Assiniboine is now the only important tributary of the Red at that point.

The Red River which is a much larger stream, draining an important

area in the United States and flowing northward into Lake Winnipeg, has lost much of its original volume and the older residents of Winnipeg who recall its dimensions fifty years ago are genuinely alarmed at the process of recession that now seems to be operating so rapidly.

There does not seem to be much doubt that the general water level all over the American continent has gone down considerably in recent years. Whether that is merely a temporary condition that will be righted in the course of time is a matter of speculation. The widespread droughts that have so impaired agricultural production in Canada and the United States in recent years are a factor that must be considered along with the apparent disappearance of much water from the lakes and streams. Quite likely, nature could repair this deficiency in short order by copious rains in the principal watersheds, but whether that remedy is still operative in view of the vast artificial changes that have been made to the face of the continent remains to be seen.

### Traditional Figure Remains

#### But Influence Of Indian Medicine Man Dying Out

Mode of the white men has crept into the lives of western Indians, but one old traditional figure—the medicine man—still haunts the reserves.

They practice their weird herbal rites, bury deceased brethren and then rattle drums in the hopes they will return to life.

Their influence is dying, says W.

Murison, inspector of Indian affairs for Saskatchewan, who will be another generation before they are extinct.

Medicine men are always old men, and their charms appeal to the old Indian with the ancient aboriginal beliefs.

"The old timers still cling to the medicine man's claim of healing,"

Mr. Murison said, "but the younger men are increasingly anxious to go to a hospital when ill."

"I can't think of a reserve where there isn't a medicine man," Mr. Murison said. "Sometimes we have difficulty in persuading the older Indians to take medicines prescribed by the medical officers, but influence of the medicine man never causes serious trouble."

One ancient custom of the medicine man in conducting a funeral was to shake a medicine drum containing a rattle. The medicine man believed it would bring the deceased back from the Indian's happy hunting ground to ground where hunting was perhaps not so happy but maybe more productive.

### Might Suggest Writing

#### The new lance-corporal, standing

with an instructor, had the men marching away from him. The squad had gone some distance, and it ap-

peared the corporal did not know how to give the command, "About turn."

At last, when the men were about

a hundred yards away, the exasperated instructor yelled: "For 'eaven's sake say something, you fool, even if it's only 'Good-by'."

### Travelling Bakery

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## The Crossfield Chronicle

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THURSDAY, Feb 7, 1935.

## Local News

The Cartstair bopsip starts to day (Thursday).

Alex. "Scotty" MacAulay is assisting C. Casey at the O.K. Garage.

Mrs. George Huser and son returned on Tuesday from Seattle.

Mrs. Arthur Heywood was a visitor in Calgary Saturday.

Mrs. P. C. Fleming and daughter Nore were Calgary visitors Tuesday.

Constable Cameron has put the ban on slot machines.

Mrs. W. McCorry and Miss Mabel Young left on Saturday to visit relatives at Macleod.

Tom Mair has gained 5 pounds in thirty days on a milk diet. This is bad news for fat people.

Cris Asmussen has sold his blacksmith shop to Alfred Witke.

Miss Lila Casey is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. N. J. Casey.

D. J. Hall who has been a patient at the Belcher hospital, Calgary, returned home Friday.

Ray Johnson of Nez Perce, Idaho, arrived here on Friday to look after his interests in this district.

Mrs. A. Stevens spent the weekend at Red Deer, the guest of Miss Eleanor Matheson.

Alfred Stevens was the winner of five dollars in a recent Canadian Legion sweepstake.

Guy Niclou is laid up with a severe cold at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. V. Niclou.

The weather has turned slightly colder and it is likely the Crossfield bopsip will get underway on Monday.

Mrs. McLeod and Percy Willis of Turner Valley were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Willis.

114 votes were cast at the Village election on Monday. T. Tredaway was returning officer and Fred Stevens poll clerk.

Arlene Amery, the local speedster, was unable to compete in the ice races at the Cartstair carnival owing to a leg injury.

The Bannister Electric furnished the music for the Cartstair carnival Monday night. Bannister's so called "canned music" is the real McCoy for events of this kind.

Mrs. Wm. Laut who is a patient at the General Hospital, Calgary, is getting along nicely, and is expected home Sunday.

Owing to the Municipal meetings being held on Saturday, the annual meeting of the School Fair is postponed until February 23rd.

George Jones has purchased a new Massey-Harris 20-30 tractor and a 32-run drill from J. M. Williams, local M. H. agent.

Geo. Ainscough is taking the Social Credit straw vote east of town, while George Murdoch is doing likewise in the west.

Warren Hall has been a patient in the General Hospital since Monday, receiving treatment for an infected knee.

Keep in mind the dance in the Beaver Dam Hall on Friday, Feb. 22nd. Modern, old-time and Scottish dances. A good time assured.

A number of young folks attended the carnival and races at Cartstair on Monday night. Cora Hall won first money in one of the race events.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilchrist and family are moving from New Dayton to Barons, Alta. where Joe will shortly take on his duties as C.P.R. agent.

The Bartholomew auction sale held on Friday last was largely attended and everything sold well. Mr. Bartholomew left Saturday morning for Calgary where he will venture into the restaurant business.

Stanley Pogue, Bubbles Goldie, Ella Donald and Opal Blough, came up from Calgary on Friday to attend the High School dance and to spend the weekend at their respective homes here.

Crossfield's Local Chautauqua will be held on April 4th and 5th. The Junior U.F.A. met at the home of Mac McCrimmon on Saturday evening with forty present. Eight new members joined the association.

The old timers round up is being held tonight (Thursday) and the paper is out a little earlier so that the editor can join in the spirit of the occasion.

D. J. Hall, Wm. Landmore, W. Hurt and Jim Aldred attended the wrestling match in Calgary Friday night. They got a great kick out of the grunt and groan exhibition.

J. Sharp is taking over the blacksmith shop of J. M. Williams on the 15th. of February, and will run it on a percentage basis. Mr. Williams will devote most of his time to the implement business.

Otto Faas who farmed the Combie place last year has rented a farm east of Didsbury. Mr. Combie is going to sell or work the farm himself.

At a meeting of the Amateur Athletic Association held on Monday, it was decided to resume P.T. classes as soon as the skating season is definitely over. A set of parallel bars have been added to the gym equipment.

Crossfield's annual Community Sale will be held in March. List your goods and chattels now with T. Tredaway or at the Chronicle office.

Gooberman, (what-a-man) Johnson, popular tenor of the Crossfield Owls Club, was a visitor in Calgary over the weekend, where he celebrated his semi-annual birthday. He arrived home Tuesday morning, sober, broke and happy.

Billy Pines is anxious to sell his farm in this district and return to dear old Ontario. However, while he has had numerous buyers they are all troubled with the same complaint—big ideas and no money.

L. Spilde of Cadogan, Alta. was a visitor at the Willow Springs Ranch on Monday and purchased a Herford bull. Mr. Collicott also sold a prize winning bull to J. G. Kirkland of Deloraine Man. on Tuesday.

It was announced over the radio Sunday evening that Donie McFadden had been injured in an auto accident at Chicago, and that he would be out of hockey for some weeks. The Calgary papers will likely carry this story in a few days.

Geo. McLeod, Chas. Fox, A. Hunter, W. Stafford, J. H. Reeves, Frank Hopper, Carl Becker, Clint Thompson attended the joint installation of the Didsbury, Airdrie and Crossfield Lodges at Didsbury on Thursday night of last week.

R. T. Amery left on Sunday for Walla, Walla, Wash. Mrs. Amery accompanied him as far as Macleod, and Howard Halliday went as far as Cranbrook to drive back his father's car which was left there six weeks ago owing to the snow-blockade. Howard and Mrs. Amery returned on Tuesday.

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## Mrs. Roger Bartlett

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Mand H. Bartlett, pioneer resident of Calgary and Airdrie, and wife of Roger G. Bartlett, who died at her home near Airdrie, Thursday of last week, were held at the Provincial Cathedral of the Redeemer, Calgary, Saturday afternoon, Rev. A. D. Currie of Crossfield, officiating. Burial followed in the Burnsland cemetery, under the direction of the Armstrong funeral home.

Palbearers were: Wm. Laut, Ivor Lewis, S. H. McClelland, J. D. A. Adam, Howard Wright, Archie Dougan, and Oscar Baker.

Born in London, England, Mrs. Bartlett came to Canada in 1910, and resided in Vancouver and Calgary until 1923, when she moved to the Airdrie district, where she had since resided. She was keenly interested in the Ladies' Guild of the Anglican church of Crossfield.

Surviving are her husband, a sister, Mrs. W. S. Stevens, Chicago, and two sisters and three brothers in England.

## Madden News

An illustrated lecture on "The Life of Dr. Grenfell of the Labrador" will be given by Rev. E. Longmore in the Madden Hall on Monday evening, Feb. 18th at 8 o'clock. Ladies of the congregation will serve lunch. Silver collection.

A large shed on the farm of Kenny Cameron has been converted into a public hall, and will be known as the Banner Community Hall. An opening dance was held on Monday night.

Madden Softball Club are putting on an old time Minstrel Show in Madden Hall on March 8th. A dance will follow. Remember the date.

There will be a dance in the new Community Hall at Kenny Cameron's place on Friday, February 15. Music by a good five piece orchestra. Don't miss it.

Tom Tidball left on Saturday on a combined business and pleasure trip to Vancouver.

Keep in mind the grand dance in the Madden Hall on Friday, Feb. 22nd. Scottish, modern and old-time dances. Premier Reid has consented to be present and will address the gathering.

The winners of prizes at the Tany-Brvn Five Hundred Club held in the school Wednesday evening last were: Mrs. Chas. Ferguson and M. McCrimmon; consolation prizes going to Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon and F. Sackett.

Remembrance Day in the future will be a legal holiday, the bill amending the interpretation act being given final reading in the senate.

N. S. Clarke, Didsbury, was elected a director of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club.

## INCOME TAX RETURNS

GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA  
IMPORTANT NOTICE

Income Tax Returns should be filed with the Superintendent of Income Tax, Qu'Appelle Building, Edmonton.

## Before March 31st, 1935

Forms may be procured from any Provincial Government Office, or from any bank, or direct from the Superintendent of Income Tax, Edmonton.

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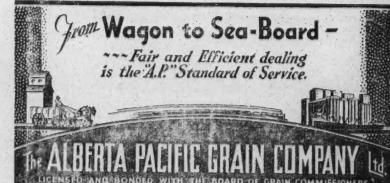
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The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

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Crossfield Branch

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